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Western Calendar:

OR, AN

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FOR THE

Year of our Lord, 1799;

BEING THE

Third after the Biſſextile or Leap-Year,

CONTAINING

The motions of the Sun and Moon; the Geocentrick Places of the Planets; the riſing and ſetting of the Sun; the riſing, ſetting and ſouthing of the Moon; the Moon's age; the Lunations, Conjunctions and Eclipſes, &c. &c.

Adapted to the Latitude and Meridian

OF WASHINGTON.

Alſo the DUTY ON STAMPS and HOUSES and SLAVES.

WITH A CHOICE

COLLECTION OF USEFUL RECEIPTS;

Together with a Number of uſeful Tables, and a correct Liſt of the Roads.

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First—Of the S[illegible] of May, at 5[illegible] nutes past 6 in the evening, invisible here.—It may b[illegible] at the Sandwich Islands, and will be centrally eclipse[illegible] the Meridian, in lat. 8° North, and long. 102° 24' W[illegible] from Philadelphia.

Second—Of the Sun, on the 28th day of October, at [illegible] past 12 at noon; invisible here on account of the Moo[illegible] parallax in latitude. A line beginning at the river Mis[illegible] sippi, near the falls of St. Anthony, running southeaste[illegible] across the N. W. territory, crossing the river Illonoi[illegible] short distance below Fort Miami and the Ohio near F[illegible] Washington, entering North-Carolina near its N. [illegible] corner, and passing through said State to the Atlan[illegible] ocean near Cape Lookout; will divide the part of t[illegible] United States where this Eclipse will be visible from t[illegible] part where it will not. It will be visible to the South-we[illegible] and invisible to the North-east of this Line.

We have no eclipse of the Moon this year: but there i[illegible] transit of Mercury over the Sun's disk, on the 7th of M[illegible]

The SEASONS.

VERNAL Equinox, or beginning of Sp[illegible]
Summer Solstice, or beginning of Sum[illegible]
Autumnal Equinox, or beginning of A[illegible]
Winter Solstice, or beginning of Wi[illegible]

THE TWELVE SIGNS OF

NORTHERN.	GOVERN.	SOUTH[illegible]
♈ Aries,	*Head & Face*	♎ Lib[illegible]
♉ Taurus,	*Neck*	♏ Scor[illegible]
♊ Gemini,	*Arms*	♐ Sagi[illegible]
♋ Cancer,	*Breast*	♑ Cap[illegible]
♌ Leo,	*Heart*	♒ Aq[illegible]
♍ Virgo,	*Bowels*	♓ Pisce[illegible]

COMMON NOTES, for[illegible]

Dominical Letter,	F	Easter Sun[illegible]	
Golden Number,	14	Rogation [illegible]	
Cycle of the Sun,	16	Ascensio[illegible]	
Epact,	24	Whitsun[illegible]	
[illegible] Sund.	Jan. 20	Trinity Su[illegible]	
	Feb. 5	Advent Sun[illegible]	

JANUARY, First Month, hath xxxi Days.

1 New ☌ Saturday 5 Day, 53 min. past 10 Even.
2 First ☉ Sunday, 13 Day, 37 min. past 10 Even.
3 Full ☍ Monday, 21 Day, 20 min. past 12 Even.
4 Last ☋ Monday, 28 Day, 29 min. past 5 Morn.

D. Mo.	D. Wk.	*Remarkable days, Weather, &c.*	*Sun rises*	*Sun sets*	☽'s *place*	☽ *rise.*	☽'s *south,*	☽ *age*
1	Tu	Circumcision.	7 23	4 37	♑ 15	2 28	7 54	26
2	W	Mars sets 0 5.	7 23	4 37	29	3 42	8 46	27
3	Th	B. Princet. '77.	7 22	4 38	♒ 13	4 55	9 41	28
4	Fri	Bull's eye 1. 9 20.	7 22	4 38	26	6 2	10 37	29
5	Sat	*Cold, and windy.*	7 21	4 39	♓ 10	7 3	11 34	1
6	S	Epiphany.	7 21	4 39	23	sets.	A. 31	2
7	M	Jup. south 7 41.	7 20	4 40	♈ 6	6 6	1 24	3
8	Tu	Day encr. 0 10.	7 20	4 40	19	7 14	2 14	4
9	W	*clear weather.*	7 19	4 41	♉ 1	8 18	2 59	5
10	Th	Jup. stationary.	7 19	4 41	13	9 21	3 42	6
11	Fri	Conj. Sun & Mer	7 18	4 42	25	10 21	4 22	7
12	Sat	Moon in apogee.	7 17	4 43	♊ 7	11 19	5 1	8
13	S	Sat. south 11 54.	7 17	4 43	19	morn.	5 40	9
14	M	*rain,*	7 16	4 44	♋ 1	0 15	6 22	10
15	Tu	Sirius sou. 10 46.	7 15	4 45	13	1 16	7 5	11
16	W	Arct. rises 11 1.	7 14	4 46	25	2 19	7 51	12
17	Th	Jup. sets 1 58.	7 14	4 46	♌ 7	3 23	8 41	13
18	Fri	*hard frosts,*	7 13	4 47	20	4 27	9 35	14
19	Sat	Sun ent. Aqua.	7 12	4 48	♍ 3	5 37	10 33	15
20	S	Septuagesima.	7 11	4 49	17	6 31	11 33	16
21	M	Georg. Sid. f. 3 11.	7 10	4 50	♎ 1	rises.	morn.	17
22	Tu	Mer. stationary.	7 9	4 51	15	6 12	0 31	18
23	W	*like for snow,*	7 8	4 52	30	7 24	1 28	19
24	Th	Moon in perigee.	7 7	4 53	♏ 15	8 33	2 22	20
25	Fri	Conver. St. Paul.	7 6	4 54	29	9 46	3 13	21
26	Sat	Ven. sets 5 28.	7 5	4 55	♐ 14	11 0	4 3	22
27	S	Sexagesima.	7 4	4 56	28	11 14	4 52	23
28	M	*more moderate,*	7 3	4 57	♑ 12	morn.	5 42	24
29	Tu	Mer. rises 5 31.	7 2	4 58	26	1 25	6 33	25
30	W	Castor sou. 10 29	7 1	4 59	♒ 9	2 30	7 27	26
31	Th	Day 10 hours.	7 0	5 0	23	3 41	8 22	27

FEBRUARY, Second Month, hath xxviii Days.

New ☽ Mond. 4 D. 53 min. past 2, Even.
First ☽ Tuesd. 12 Day. 23 min. past 7 Even.
Full ☽ Tues. 19 Day. 44 min. past 11, Even.
Last ☽ Tues. 26 Day. 1 min. past 3, Even.

		☉ Remarkable days of weather &c.	Sun rises.	Sun sets	Sun's place	☽ rises	☽ south	☽ age
		Circumcision	7 59	4 1	♑ 0	4 45	9 19	28
		Epiph. B. V. M.	7 58	4 2	1	5 40	10 15	29
		Quinquagesim.	7 57	4 3	2	6 32	11 9	30
	M	Meteorological	7 56	4 4	4	sets.	11 59	1
	Tu	Shrove Tuesday	7 55	4 5	27	5 0	Af. 40	2
	W	Ash Wed. sets 10 3	7 53	4 7	♓ 9	6 53	1 31	3
	Th	Ember. rises 5 33	7 52	4 8	21	8 2	2 12	4
		☽ in apogee.	7 51	4 9	♈ 3	8 59	2 52	5
	Sat	high wind	7 50	4 10	15	9 59	3 31	6
		1st in Lent.	7 49	4 11	27	10 59	4 11	7
	M	7 sets 4 16.	7 48	4 12	♉ 9	1 59	4 53	8
	Tu	Ven. sets 6 6.	7 46	4 14	21	morn.	5 37	9
	W	rain or snow	7 45	4 15	♊ 3	1 3	6 25	10
	Th	Valentine.	7 44	4 16	15	2 7	7 17	11
	F	Day 10 36.	7 43	4 17	28	3 10	8 12	12
	Sat	snow or rain	7 42	4 18	♋ 11	4 10	9 11	13
		2d in Lent.	7 41	4 20	24	5 4	10 11	14
	M	Sol. ent. ♍ sets 2	7 39	4 21	♌ 9	5 55	11 10	15
	Tu	Jup. sets 11 52.	7 38	4 22	24	sets.	m rn.	16
	W	disagreeable wea.	7 37	4 23	♍ 9	0 3	0 7	17
		☽ in perigee	7 35	4 25	24	7 23	1 1	18
	Fr	Geo. Sid. 1. 18.	7 34	4 26	♎ 9	8 43	1 53	19
	Sat	cold. frosty.	7 33	4 27	24	9 52	2 44	20
		3d in Lent. ☿ M	7 31	4 29	♏ 8	11 5	3 35	21
		Mercr. rises 8 20	7 30	4 30	22	morn	4 29	22
	Su	Sat. sets 4 9	7 29	4 31	♐ 6	0 29	5 23	23
	M	now rain	7 28	4 32	20	1 38	6 18	24
	Tu	Cor. South 11 12	7 26	4 34	♑ 3	2 45	7 15	25

* Venus will be evening star till the 16th day of October, then morning star till the end of the Year.

MARCH, third Month, hath xxxi Days.

New ☽ Wednesday, 0 Day, 13 min. after 8, Morn.
First ☽ Thurſday 14 Day, 1 min. paſt 1, Afternoon.
Full ☽ Thurſday, 21 Day, 32 min. paſt 9, Morn.
Laſt ☽ Thurſday, 28 Day, 13 min. paſt 2 Morn.

D M	D W	*Remarkable days, Weather, &c.*	*Sun riſes.*	*Sun ſets*	*☽'s place*	*☽ riſes.*	*☽ ſouth.*	☽ ☽
1	Fr	S. David's day	6 25	5 32	♈ 16	3 45	8 12	6
2	Sa	☽'s ſet 0 9. *rain*	6 24	5 34	29	4 28	9 0	7
3	S	4th in Lent.	6 22	5 36	♉ 11	5 12	9 58	8
4	M	*Piercing winds.*	6 21	5 37	23	6 13	0 46	29
5	Tu	Sirius ſouth 7 31.	6 20	5 40	♊ 0	7 14	11 31	30
6	W	Procyon ſou. 8 21	6 18	5 42	18	ſets.	A. 13	1
7	Th	Mars ſets 11 9.	6 17	5 43	30	6 56	0 53	2
8	Fr	*Snow, rain, froſt.*	6 16	5 44	♋ 12	7 55	1 33	3
9	Sa	☽ in Apogee.	6 14	5 46	24	8 53	2 12	4
10	S	5th in Lent.	6 13	5 47	♌ 5	9 55	2 53	5
11	M	Bull's eye ſ. 11 52	6 12	5 48	17	10 56	3 37	6
12	Tu	*Very windy & cold.*	6 10	5 50	29	11 59	4 23	7
13	W	A ct. ſou. 2 37.	6 9	5 51	♍ 11	morn.	5 12	8
14	Th	Jupiter ſets 10 44	6 8	5 52	24	1 3	6 6	9
15	Fr	Cor. ☽ ſou. 10 56	6 6	5 54	♎ 6	2 0	7 2	10
16	Sa	*cold rains & winds*	6 5	5 55	19	3 0	8 0	11
17	S	Palm Sunday.	6 4	5 56	♏ 3	3 45	8 59	12
18	M	*Hard froſts*	6 2	5 58	17	4 33	9 55	13
19	Tu	Saturn ſets 2 50.	6 1	5 59	♐ 2	5 5	10 50	14
20	W	Sol enters ♈	6 0	6 0	17	5 40	11 44	15
21	Th	Saturn ſtationary	5 59	6 1	♑ 2	r ſes.	morn	16
22	Fr	G. Fri. ☽ in per.	5 57	6 3	17	7 40	0 37	17
23	Sa	Lyra riſes 9 28.	5 56	6 4	♒ 2	9 0	1 29	18
24	S	EASTER.	5 55	6 5	17	10 16	2 24	19
25	M	Annunciation.	5 53	6 7	♓ 2	11 16	3 19	20
26	Tu	*Froſt breaks up.*	5 52	6 8	16	mor.	4 17	21
27	W	Geo. Si. ſou. 10 56	5 51	6 9	29	0 40	5 16	22
28	Th	Apollo's ☽ ſou. 0 4	5 49	6 11	♈ 13	1 18	6 14	23
29	Fr	☽'s ſets 10 27.	5 48	6 12	26	2 4	7 10	24
30	Sa	*High Waters*	5 47	6 13	♉ 8	3 1	8 3	27
31	S	Low Sunday.	5 45	6 15	♊ 21	3 55	8 52	26

APRIL, Fourth Month, hath xxx Days.

New ☽ Friday, 5 Day, 2 Morning.
First ☽ Saturday, 13 Day, 26 min. past 2 Morn.
Full ☽ Friday, 19 Day, 19 min. past 6 Even.
Last ☽ Friday, 26 Day, 9 min. past 3 Even.

M	W	Remarkable days, Weather, &c.	Sun rises	Sun sets	☽'s place at		☽'s hath.	Age
1	M	Ven. sets 6 41.	5 41	6 15	♈ 3	4 2	9 38	27
2	Tu	*cloudy, perhaps*	5 43	6 17	15	4 5	10 20	28
3	W	*rain,*	5 41	6 19	27	5 1	11 0	29
4	Th	St. Ambrose.	5 40	6 20	♉ 8	5 3	11 42	30
5	F	Moon in apogee.	5 39	6 21	20	sets.	☾ 20	1
6	Sat	*Moderate,*	5 38	6 22	♊ 2	7 54	1 1	2
7	F	Conj. ☿ and Ven.	5 36	6 24	14	8 58	1 43	3
8	M	Conj. ☽ and Jup	5 35	6 25	26	10 2	2 29	4
9	Tu	*hazy, and*	5 34	6 26	♋ 8	11 4	3 16	5
10	W	*changeable,*	5 32	6 28	20	morn.	4 8	6
11	Th	Georg. Si. s. 10 1.	5 31	6 29	♌ 3	0 5	5 2	7
12	Fri	♃'s set 9 35.	5 30	6 30	15	0 59	5 57	8
13	Sat	Mer. sets 8 16.	5 29	6 31	28	1 53	6 54	9
14	F	Spica ♍ s. 11 40.	5 27	6 33	♍ 12	2 39	7 49	10
15	M	*rain,*	5 26	6 34	26	3 13	8 43	11
16	Tu	Mer. elong. great.	5 25	6 35	♎ 10	3 49	9 36	12
17	W	Saturn sets 1 6.	5 24	6 36	25	4 15	10 28	13
18	Th	Sirius sets 9 51.	5 22	6 38	♏ 10	4 44	11 20	14
19	Fri	Moon in perigee.	5 21	6 39	25	rises.	morn	15
20	Sat	Mars sets 7 47.	5 20	6 40	♐ 10	7 57	0 14	16
21	F	*rain, thunder*	5 19	6 41	25	9 16	1 11	17
22	M	*and lightening,*	5 18	6 42	♑ 10	10 34	2 9	18
23	Tu	St. George.	5 17	6 43	24	11 37	3 9	19
24	W	☽ sets 8 58.	5 15	6 45	♒ 8	morn.	4 9	20
25	Th	St. Mark.	5 14	6 46	22	0 39	5 8	21
26	Fri	Merc. stationary.	5 13	6 47	♓ 5	1 23	6 4	22
27	Sat	*rain.*	5 12	6 48	17	2 6	6 55	23
28	F	Rogation.	5 11	6 49	30	2 34	7 41	24
29	M	♃'s set 8 32.	5 10	6 50	♈ 12	3 3	8 26	25
30	Tu	Days 13h 44m.	5 8	6 52	24	3 2	9 6	26

Latitude of the Georgian planet about 36 minutes North this year.

MAY, Fifth Month, hath xxxi Days.

1 New ☽ Saturday, 4 Day, 53 min. past 6 even.
2 First ☽ Sunday, 12 Day, 48 min. past 11 Morn.
3 Full ☉ Sunday, 19 Day, 30 min. past 2 Morn.
4 Last ☾ Sunday, 26 Day, 44 min. past 5 Morn,

DM	AD	*Remarkable days, Weather, &c.*	*Sun rises.*	*Sun sets.*	☽'s *place*	☽ *rises.*	☽'s *south.*	
1	W	Philip & James.	5 7	6 53	♈ 0	3 49	9 40	1
2	Th	Ascension. [Moon	5 6	6 54	17	4 3	10 25	28
3	Fri	in apogee.	5 5	6 55	29	4 28	11 5	29
4	Sat	Sol. eclip. invis.	5 4	6 56	♉ 11	4 52	11 47	1
5	F	First after Ascen.	5 3	6 57	23	sets	A. 31	2
6	M	Ven. sets 9 39.	5 2	6 58	♊ 5	9 0	1 16	3
7	Tu	Transf. Mars. sol.	5 1	6 59	17	10 1	2 8	4
8	W	Virg. south 10 10.	5 0	7 0	30	11 2	3 2	5
9	Th	*agreeable and*	4 59	7 1	♋ 12	11 52	3 57	6
10	Fri	Antares sou. 1 11.	4 58	7 2	25	morn.	4 52	7
11	Sat	Arct. sou. 10 51.	4 57	7 3	♌ 8	0 40	5 47	8
12	F	Whitsunday.	4 56	7 4	22	1 16	6 39	9
13	M	Mars sets 10 25.	4 55	7 5	♍ 6	1 51	7 30	10
14	Tu	*pleasant*	4 54	7 6	20	2 18	8 20	11
15	W	Atair. rises 9 43	4 53	7 7	♎ 4	2 40	9 10	12
16	Th	Herf. sets 2 0.	4 52	7 8	19	3 13	10 1	13
17	Fri	Moon in perigee	4 51	7 9	♏ 4	3 41	10 55	14
18	Sat	Lyra south 2 50.	4 50	7 10	19	4 12	11 52	15
19	F	Trinity.	4 49	7 11	♐ 4	rises.	morn	16
20	M	Sol. ent. Gem.	4 48	7 12	18	9 22	0 52	17
21	Tu	*growing weather.*	4 48	7 12	♑ 3	10 24	1 53	18
22	W	Geo. Sid. set. 1 43.	4 47	7 13	17	11 23	2 54	19
23	Th	Day 14 h. 28 m.	4 46	7 14	30	11 58	3 54	20
24	Fri	*gentle showers,*	4 45	7 15	♒ 13	morn.	4 47	21
25	Sat	Sat. sets 11 47.	4 45	7 15	26	0 33	5 30	22
26	F	Georg. Sid. Rat.	4 44	7 16	♓ 8	1 1	6 22	23
27	M	Lyra south 2 16.	4 43	7 17	20	1 30	7 4	24
28	Tu	Sat. sets 10 30.	4 43	7 17	♈ 2	1 51	7 45	25
29	W	Moon in apogee	4 42	7 18	14	2 12	8 24	26
30	Th	*clear and warm.*	4 42	7 18	26	2 33	9 3	27
31	Fri	Lyra south 1 58.	4 41	7 19	♉ 8	2 54	9 45	28

JUNE, Sixth Month, hath xxx Days.

1 New ☾ Monday, 3 Day, 44 min. past 9 Morn.
2 First ☽ Monday, 10 Day, 7 min. past 6 Even.
3 Full ☾ Monday, 17 Day, 44 min. past 10 Morn.
4 Last ☽ Monday, 24 Day, 53 min. past 9 Even.

D M	D W	*Remarkable days, Weather. &c.*	*Sun rises.*	*Sun set.*	☽'s *place*	☽ *rises.*	☽'s *south.*	*Dag*
1	Sat	Mer. rises 2 39.	4 40	7 20	♈ 20	3 18	10 26	29
2	F	2d after Trinity.	4 40	7 20	♉ 2	3 46	11 13	30
3	M	*pleasant,*	4 39	7 21	14	sets.	A. 2	1
4	Tu	Mer. elong. orient	4 39	7 21	26	8 55	0 56	2
5	W	Boniface.	4 38	7 22	♊ 9	9 45	1 50	3
6	Th	Spica ♍ sets 1 45.	4 38	7 22	22	10 31	2 45	4
7	Fri	Ven. sets 7 20.	4 37	7 23	♋ 5	11 16	3 40	5
8	Sat	*perhaps rain,*	4 37	7 23	19	11 50	4 33	6
9	F	3d after Trinity.	4 37	7 23	♌ 2	morn.	5 24	7
10	M	*warm*	4 36	7 24	16	0 18	6 13	8
11	Tu	St. Barnabas.	4 36	7 24	30	0 46	7 1	9
12	W	Arct. south 8 41.	4 36	7 24	♍ 14	1 12	7 50	10
13	Th	Mars sets 9 36.	4 36	7 24	29	1 38	8 40	11
14	Fri	Moon in perigee.	4 35	7 25	♎ 13	2 10	9 34	12
15	Sat	*breezes.*	4 35	7 25	28	2 41	10 31	13
16	F	4th after Trinity.	4 35	7 25	♏ 12	3 17	11 30	14
17	M	*moderate,*	4 35	7 25	27	rises.	morn.	15
18	Tu	Atair south 1 59	4 35	7 25	♐ 11	9 3	0 32	16
19	W	Saturn sets 9 14.	4 35	7 25	25	9 46	1 32	17
20	Th	*very warm,*	4 35	7 25	♑ 8	10 29	2 30	18
21	Fri	Sol ent. Cancer.	4 35	7 25	21	10 58	3 22	19
22	Sat	Geo. Si. sets 11 33.	4 35	7 25	♒ 4	11 27	4 10	20
23	F	*thunder,*	4 35	7 25	16	11 48	4 55	21
24	M	Nativ. John Bap.	4 35	7 25	29	morn.	5 35	22
25	Tu	Jup. rises 3 19.	4 35	7 25	♓ 10	0 9	6 15	23
26	W	Moon in apogee.	4 35	7 25	22	0 30	6 55	24
27	Th	Spi. ♍ sets 0 13.	4 35	7 25	♈ 4	0 51	7 35	25
28	Fri	*warm*	4 35	7 25	16	1 16	8 17	26
29	Sat	S. Peter & S. Paul	4 36	7 24	28	1 42	9 2	27
30	F	Lyra south 11 53.	4 36	7 24	♉ 10	2 15	9 50	28

JULY, Seventh Month, hath xxxi Days.

1 New ☌ Tuesday, 2 Day, 6 min. past 10 Even.
2 First ☽ Tuesday, 9 Day, 51 min. past 10 Even.
3 Full ☍ Tuesday, 16 Day, 56 min. past 7 Even.
4 Last ☾ Wednesday, 24 Day, 15 min. past 3 Even.

DM	DW	*Remarkable days, Weather, &c.*	*Sun rises*	*Sun sets*	☽'s *place*	☉ *rises.*	☽'s *south.*	☽ *age*
1	M	Ven. sets 9 52.	4 36	7 24	♋ 23	2 51	10 41	29
2	Tu	Visitation V. M.	4 37	7 23	♌ 5	3 27	11 37	1
3	W	Conj. Sol. Mer.	4 37	7 23	18	sets	A. 33	2
4	Th	Independence 76.	4 37	7 23	♍ 2	9 10	1 29	3
5	Fri	Day 14 h. 44 min.	4 38	7 22	15	9 43	2 23	4
6	Sat	Lyra sou. 11 21.	4 38	7 22	29	10 16	3 15	5
7	F	Mars sets 8 46.	4 39	7 21	♎ 13	10 43	4 5	6
8	M	Antares sou. 9 7.	4 39	7 21	27	11 10	4 53	7
9	Tu	*sultry*	4 40	7 20	♏ 11	11 36	5 41	8
10	W	Arct. sets 2 2.	4 40	7 20	25	morn.	6 30	9
11	Th	☽ in perigee.	4 41	7 19	♐ 9	0 2	7 21	10
12	Fri	*weather,*	4 41	7 19	23	0 34	8 15	11
13	Sat	Atair sou. 0 15.	4 42	7 18	♑ 8	1 7	9 13	12
14	F	Jup. rises 4 59.	4 42	7 18	22	1 49	10 13	13
15	M	Swithin.	4 43	7 17	♒ 6	2 42	11 13	14
16	Tu	*cloudy,*	4 44	7 16	20	3 42	morn.	15
17	W	Day decl. 0 18	4 44	7 16	♓ 3	rises	0 11	16
18	Th	Bull's eye ri. 1 37.	4 45	7 15	16	8 51	1 6	17
19	Fri	Ven. sets 9 24.	4 46	7 14	29	9 19	1 57	18
20	Sat	Margaret.	4 47	7 13	♈ 12	9 47	2 43	19
21	F	*perhaps,*	4 47	7 13	24	10 8	3 26	20
22	M	Magdalen.	4 48	7 12	♉ 6	10 29	4 7	21
23	Tu	*rain,*	4 49	7 11	18	10 51	4 47	22
24	W	☽ in apogee.	4 50	7 10	30	11 13	5 27	23
25	Th	St. James.	4 51	7 9	♊ 12	11 39	6 8	24
26	Fri	St. Ann.	4 52	7 8	24	morn.	6 51	25
27	Sat	*continuation*	4 52	7 8	♋ 12	0 6	7 38	26
28	F	*fine weather,*	4 53	7 7	18	0 45	8 28	27
29	M	Arct. sets 0 46.	4 54	7 6	♌ 1	1 25	9 22	28
30	Tu	Dog days begin	4 55	7 5	14	1 53	10 19	29
31	W	Mer. sets 8 12.	4 56	7 4	27	3 21	11 6	30

AUGUST, Eighth Month, hath xxxi Days.

New ☌ 1 Thurſday, 1 Day, 25 min. paſt 8 Morn.
Firſt ☽ Thurſday, 8 Day, 34 min. paſt 3 Morn.
Full ☍ Thurſday, 15 Day, 8 min. paſt 7 Morn.
Laſt ☾ Friday, 23 Day, 20 min. paſt 9 Morn.
New ☌ Friday, 30 Day, 39 min. paſt 5 Even.

DM	DW	*Remarkable days Weather, &c.*	☉ *riſes*	*Sun ſets*	☽'s *place*	☉ *ſets.*	☽'s *ſont*	☽
1	Th	Lammas day.	4 57	7 3	♈ 11	ſets	A. 1	1
2	Fri	Jup. riſes 1 18.	4 58	7 2	25	8 16	1 0	2
3	Sat	Lyra ſouth 9 35.	4 59	7 1	♉ 9	8 44	1 59	3
4	F	7*s riſe 11 19	5 0	7 0	23	9 13	2 49	4
5	M	Moon in perigee	5 1	6 59	♊ 8	9 39	3 38	5
6	Tu	Tranſfiguration.	5 2	6 58	22	10 5	4 27	6
7	W	Ven ſets 8 47.	5 3	6 57	♋ 6	10 35	5 17	7
8	Th	Ven. elong. occi.	5 4	6 56	20	11 0	6 10	8
9	Fri	*Cloudy*	5 5	6 55	♌ 4	11 50	7 7	9
10	Sat	St. Lawrence.	5 6	6 54	18	morn.	8 5	10
11	F	*and heavy rain,*	5 8	6 52	♍ 2	0 35	9 5	11
12	M	Ven. ſets 8 42.	5 9	6 51	15	1 5	10 3	12
13	Tu	Mars ſets 7 24.	5 10	6 50	29	2 35	10 58	13
14	W	Mer. elong. occi.	5 11	6 49	♎ 12	3 44	11 58	14
15	Th	Aſſumption.	5 12	6 48	25	riſes	morn.	15
16	Fri	*in ſome places.*	5 13	6 47	♏ 8	7 53	0 39	16
17	Sat	Sirius riſes 3 45.	5 14	6 46	20	8 14	1 24	17
18	F	7*s riſe 10 13.	5 15	6 45	♐ 2	8 35	2 5	18
19	M	*Thunder and*	5 17	6 43	14	8 57	2 45	19
20	Tu	Sat. riſes 3 15.	5 18	6 42	26	9 19	3 25	20
21	W	Moon in apogee.	5 19	6 41	♑ 8	9 44	4 7	21
22	Th	Sol. ent. Virgo.	5 20	6 40	20	10 8	4 49	22
23	Fri	*lightening,*	5 21	6 39	♒ 2	10 44	5 34	23
24	Sat	St. Bartholomew.	5 23	6 37	14	11 20	6 22	24
25	F	Days 13 12.	5 24	6 36	26	morn.	7 15	25
26	M	*warm and ſultry,*	5 25	6 35	♓ 9	0 19	8 10	26
27	Tu	Mer. ſtationary.	5 26	6 34	22	1 8	9 6	27
28	W	St. Auguſtine.	5 27	6 33	♈ 5	2 13	10 3	28
29	Th	John Bap. behead	5 29	6 31	19	3 28	11 0	29
30	Fri	*weather.*	5 30	6 30	♉ 4	4 38	11 53	
31	Sat	Fomalht. ſ. o 11.	5 31	6 29	18	ſets.	A. 45	

SEPTEMBER, Ninth Month. hath xxx Days.

First ☽ Friday, 6 Day, 38 min. past 9 Morn.
Full ☉ Friday, 13 Day, 10 min. past 11 Even.
Last ☽ Sunday, 22 Day, 2 min. past 2 Even.
New ☌ Sunday, 29 Day, 43 min. past 2 Morn.

Day	Week	*Remarkable days, Weather, &c.*	*Sun rises*	*Sun sets*	☽'s *place*	☽ *sets*	♃ *south.*	♃ *age*
1	F	Ven. sets 7 50.	5 32	6 28	♋ 3	7 48	1 30	3
2	M	☽ in perigee.	5 34	6 26	18	8 15	2 27	4
3	Tu	Defin. treat. '83.	5 35	6 25	♌ 2	8 42	3 18	5
4	W	7* s rises 9 13.	5 36	6 24	17	9 18	4 12	6
5	Th	Seafight Chesp. 81	5 38	6 22	♍ 1	9 53	5 9	7
6	Fri	Dog days end.	5 39	6 21	15	10 41	6 7	8
7	Sat	Jupt. rises 11 25.	5 40	6 20	29	11 32	7 6	9
8	F	Nativ B. V. Mar.	5 41	6 19	♎ 12	morn.	8 5	10
9	M	*rain,*	5 43	6 17	25	0 33	9 2	11
10	Tu	Conj. Sol. Mer.	5 44	6 16	♏ 9	1 40	9 54	12
11	W	*moderate,*	5 45	6 15	21	2 48	10 42	13
12	Th	B. eye rises 10 3.	5 47	6 13	♐ 4	3 56	11 28	14
13	Fri	*gentle showers,*	5 48	6 12	16	rises	morn.	15
14	Sat	Saturn rises 1 58.	5 49	6 11	29	6 47	0 11	16
15	F	*cold, rain,*	5 50	6 10	♑ 11	7 8	0 51	17
16	M	Arct. sets 9 41.	5 52	6 8	23	7 30	1 31	18
17	Tu	☽ in apogee.	5 53	6 7	♒ 5	7 52	2 12	19
18	W	*nights cold,*	5 54	6 6	16	8 18	2 54	20
19	Th	Days 12h. 8min.	5 56	6 4	28	8 48	3 37	21
20	Fri	Mer. stationary.	5 57	6 3	♓ 10	9 19	4 24	22
21	Sat	St. Matthew.	5 58	6 2	22	10 10	5 14	23
22	F	Sol ent. Libra.	6 0	6 0	♈ 4	11 1	6 8	24
23	M	Quartile Sol. Jup	6 1	5 59	17	morn.	7 2	25
24	Tu	*changeable,*	6 2	5 58	30	0 5	7 58	26
25	W	Mer. rises 4 34.	6 3	5 57	♉ 13	1 10	8 52	27
26	Th	Venus stationary.	6 5	5 55	27	2 25	9 47	28
27	Fri	*foggy mornings.*	6 6	5 54	♊ 12	3 41	10 43	29
28	Sat	Sirius rises 1 11.	6 7	5 53	26	4 58	11 38	30
29	F	St. Michael.	6 9	5 51	♋ 11	sets.	A. 23	1
30	M	Jerome, ☽ in per.	6 10	5 50	26	6 49	1 16	2

OCTOBER, Tenth Month, hath xxxi. Days.

First ☾ Saturday, 5 Day, 13 min. past 6, Even.
Full ☽ Sunday, 13 Day, 3 min. past 2, Even.
Last ☾ Monday, 21 Day, 23 min past 5, Even.
New ☽ Monday, 28 Day, 15 min. past 0, Even.

D M	D W	*Remarkable days, Weather, &c.*	*Sun rises*	*Sun sets*	☽'s *place*	☽ *sets*	☽'s *south.*	☽ *age*
1	Tu	*- esta mornings*	6 11	5 49	♑ 11	7 20	2 10	5
2	W	Sat. rises 1 3.	6 13	5 47	25	8 0	3 8	4
3	Th	Sirius rises 0 56.	6 14	5 46	♒ 11	8 40	4 7	5
4	Fri	*and evenings*	6 15	5 45	25	9 25	5 ●	6
5	Sat	Capel. south 4 20.	6 17	5 43	● 9	10 35	6 9	7
6	F	Bl's.eye sou. 3 39.	6 18	5 42	22	11 37	7 6	8
7	M	Jup. rises 9 48.	6 19	5 41	♓ 6	morn.	8 ●	9
8	Tu	*like for*	6 20	5 40	18	0 49	8 49	10
9	W	Days decr. 3 34	6 22	5 38	♈ 1	1 55	9 35	11
10	Th	7*s south 2 33.	6 23	5 37	15	3 0	10 17	12
11	Fri	*rain.*	6 24	5 36	28	4 11	10 58	13
12	Sat	Fomal. sou. 9 35.	6 26	5 34	♉ 8	5 23	11 38	14
13	F	Day 11 6.	6 27	5 33	19	Mes.	morn	15
14	S	*clear.*	6 28	5 32	♊ 1	6 5	0 18	16
15	Su	☽ in apogee.	6 29	5 31	13	6 31	1 0	17
16	M	Con. Ven. Sol inse	6 31	5 29	25	6 57	1 43	18
17	Tu	Arct. sets 7 48.	6 32	5 28	♋ 7	7 32	2 28	19
18	W	St. Luke.	6 33	5 27	19	8 10	3 16	20
19	Th	Jup. stationary.	6 35	5 25	♌ 1	9 1	4 8	21
20	F	Sirius rises 11 49	6 36	5 24	13	9 56	5 1	22
21	Sat	*temperate.*	6 37	5 23	25	11 0	5 55	23
22	M	Geor. St. rit 3 47	6 38	5 22	♍ 8	morn.	6 49	24
23	Tu	Sol enters ♏	6 40	5 20	22	0 20	7 41	25
24	W	*small showers.*	6 41	5 19	♎ 5	1 30	8 33	26
25	Th	Crispin.	6 42	5 18	20	2 35	9 23	27
26	F	*high winds,*	6 43	5 17	♏ 4	3 52	10 14	28
27	S	Con. ☌ Mars.	6 44	5 16	17	5 9	11 5	29
28	Su	Sol. ecl. inv.	6 46	5 14	♐ 4	6 21	11 59	1
29	M	☽ in perigee.	6 47	5 13	28	less.	af. 50	2
30	Tu	Arct. sets 6 59	6 48	5 12	♑ 5	6 35	1 55	3
31	W	*perhaps snow.*	6 49	5 11	28	7 31	2 59	4

NOVEMBER, Eleventh Month, hath xxx Days.

First ☽ Monday, 4 Day, 13 min. past 6 Morn.
Full ☉ Tuesday, 12 Day, 47 min. past 8 Morn.
Last ☾ Wednesday, 20 Day, 30 min. past 6 Morn.
New ☽ Tuesday, 26 Day, 29 min. past 10 Even.

D	D	*Remarkable days, Weather, &c.*	*Sun rises.*	*Sun sets.*	☽'s *place*	☾ *sets.*	☽ *south*	☽ *age*
1	Fri	All Saints.	6 50	5 ♏	♀ 4	8 27	4 2	5
2	Sat	All Souls.	6 52	5 8	18	9 55	5 2	6
3	F	Sirius rises. 10 59	6 53	5 7	♑ 2	10 43	5 58	7
4	M	*The Ind. Summer.*	6 54	5 6	15	11 49	6 50	8
5	Tu	Capella s. 2 22.	6 55	5 5	28	morn.	7 36	9
6	W	Ven. stationary.	6 56	5 4	☽ 10	0 55	8 20	10
7	Th	Jupt. rises 7 48	6 57	5 3	22	1 56	9 0	11
8	Fri	*moderate,*	6 58	5 2	♈ 5	2 56	9 40	12
9	Sat	7*s s. 0 42.	6 59	5 1	16	3 57	10 20	13
10	F	25th after Trin.	7 0	5 0	28	4 59	11 1	14
11	M	Martin Luther.	7 2	4 58	♉ 10	6 0	11 43	15
12	Tu	St. Mark.	7 3	4 57	22	rises.	morn.	16
13	W	*snow or rain,*	7 4	4 56	♊ 4	5 33	0 27	17
14	Th	Bull's eye so. 1 8.	7 5	4 55	16	6 14	1 14	18
15	Fri	*perhaps*	7 6	4 54	28	6 56	2 4	19
16	Sat	Sirius south 3 9.	7 7	4 53	♋ 10	7 52	2 57	20
17	F	Day 9h. 44m.	7 8	4 52	22	8 50	3 49	21
18	M	*with high wind,*	7 8	4 52	♌ 5	9 57	4 42	22
19	Tu	Ven. rises 3 8.	7 9	4 51	18	11 5	5 33	23
20	W	Jupt. south 2 18.	7 10	4 50	♍ 1	morn.	6 23	24
21	Th	Sat. stationary.	7 11	4 49	15	0 13	7 12	25
22	Fri	Cecilia.	7 12	4 48	29	1 21	8 0	26
23	Sat	Clement.	7 13	4 47	♎ 13	2 37	8 48	27
24	F	27th after Trin.	7 14	4 46	28	3 53	9 38	28
25	M	Canop. south 2 18	7 14	4 46	♏ 13	5 11	10 3	29
26	Tu	Moon in perigee	7 15	4 45	28	6 32	11 30	1
27	W	Sat. south 4 41.	7 16	4 44	♐ 13	sets.	A. 32	2
28	Th	Sirius south 2 19.	7 17	4 43	28	6 3	1 37	3
29	Fri	*cold,*	7 17	4 43	♑ 12	7 16	2 4	4
30	Sat	St. Andrew.	7 18	4 42	27	8 29	3 41	5

DECEMBER, Twelfth Month, hath xxxi Days.

2 First ☽ Tuesday, 3 Day, 5 min. past 10 Even.
3 Full ☉ Thursday, 12 Day, 34 min. past 3 Morn.
4 Last ☾ Thursday, 19 Day, 20 min. past ; Even.
1 New ☉ Thursday, 26 Day, 33 min. past 9 Morn.

Mo	Wk	Remarkable days, Weather, &c.	Sun rises	Sun sets	☽'s place	☉ sets.	☽ south	☽ age
1	F	Advent.	7 19	4 41	♑ 11	9 27	4 35	6
2	M	*calm,*	7 19	4 41	24	10 35	5 15	7
3	Tu	Sirius rises 8 50.	7 20	4 40	♐ 7	11 43	6 10	8
4	W	Mer. sets 5 51.	7 21	4 39	19	morn.	6 52	9
5	Th	Arct. rises 2 6.	7 21	4 39	♑ 1	0 44	7 32	10
6	Fri	Day 9h. 6m.	7 22	4 38	13	1 46	8 11	11
7	Sat	Newport tak. 76.	7 22	4 38	25	2 44	8 50	12
8	F	Concep. V. Mar.	7 22	4 38	♒ 7	3 42	9 32	13
9	M	*clear*	7 23	4 37	19	3 44	10 15	14
10	Tu	♃'s south 10 23.	7 23	4 37	♓ 1	5 46	11 1	15
11	W	*and frosty,*	7 24	4 36	13	6 47	11 50	16
12	Th	Arct. sou. 1 34.	7 24	4 36	25	rises.	morn.	17
13	Fri	Jupt sou. 0 24.	7 24	4 36	♈ 7	5 37	0 43	18
14	Sat	Ven. rises 3 29.	7 24	4 36	19	1 37	1 36	19
15	F	*snow,*	7 25	4 35	♉ 2	7 38	2 28	20
16	M	Sirius rises 7 52.	7 25	4 35	15	8 46	3 20	21
17	Tu	Mer. stationary.	7 25	4 35	28	9 54	4 10	22
18	W	Oppos. Sol. Jupt	7 25	4 35	♊ 11	11 3	4 57	23
19	Th	*sleet and rain,*	7 25	4 35	25	morn.	5 43	24
20	Fri	Mars rises 4 49.	7 25	4 35	♋ 8	0 13	6 30	25
21	Sat	St. Thomas.	7 25	4 35	23	1 24	7 16	26
22	F	Saturn sou. 2 45.	7 25	4 35	♌ 7	2 35	8 8	27
23	M	*snow,*	7 25	4 35	21	3 53	9 1	28
24	Tu	☽ in perigee	7 25	4 35	♍ 6	5 12	9 59	29
25	W	CHRISTMAS.	7 25	4 35	21	6 29	11 2	30
26	Th	St. Stephen.	7 25	4 35	♎ 6	sets.	A. 6	1
27	Fri	St. John.	7 25	4 35	20	5 41	1 9	2
28	Sat	Holy Innocents.	7 25	4 35	♏ 5	6 53	2 7	3
29	F	*cloudy,*	7 24	4 36	18	8 5	3 1	4
30	M	*and windy.*	7 24	4 36	♐ 2	9 12	3 49	5
31	Tu	Silvester.	7 24	4 36	15	10 19	4 33	6

STAMP ACT.

I.

For every skin or piece of Vellum or Parchment, or sheet or piece of Paper, upon which shall be Written or Printed any or either of the instruments or writings following—TO WIT.

	Dls.	Cts.
Any Certificate of Naturalization - -	5	
Any Licence to practice, or Certificate of the admission, enrolment or registry of any Counsellor, Solicitor, Attorney, Advocate or Proctor, in any Court of the United States - -	10	
Provided, that a Certificate in any one of the Courts of the United States for one of the said Officers, shall so far as relates to the payment of the duty aforesaid, be a sufficient admission in all the Courts of the United States, for each and every of the said offices.		
Any Grant or Letters Patent, under the seal or authority of the United States (except for lands granted for military services) - -	4	
Any Exemplification or certified Copy of any such grant or letters patent (except for lands granted for military services) - -	2	
Any Charter-party, Bottomry, or Respondentia Bond - - - -	1	
Any receipt or discharge for or on account of any Legacy left by any Will or other testamentary instrument, or for any share or part of personal estate divided by force of any statute of distributions, other than to the Wife, Children or Grand-children of the person deceased, the amount whereof shall be above the value of Fifty Dollars, and shall not exceed the value of One Hundred Dollars - - -		25
When the amount thereof shall exceed the value of One Hundred Dollars, and shall not exceed Five Hundred dollars - - -		50
And for every further sum of Five Hundred Dollars, the additional sum of - - -	1	

	Dls.	Cts.
Any Policy of Insurance or instrument in nature thereof, on any ship, vessel or goods insured from one district to another in the United States - - - -		25
From the United States to any foreign port or place, when the sum for which Insurance is made shall not exceed Five Hundred Dollars		25
When the sum insured shall exceed Five Hundred Dollars - - - -	1	
Any Exemplification, of what nature soever, that shall pass the seal of any Court, other than such as it may be the duty of the Clerk of such Court to furnish for the use of the United States or some particular state - - -		50
Any Bond, bill single or penal, foreign or inland bill of exchange, promissory note or other note, other than any recognizance, bill, bond, or other obligation or contract, made to or with the United States or any state, or for their use respectively - - - - -		
If above Twenty Dollars and not exceeding One Hundred Dollars - - -		10
If above One Hundred Dollars and not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars - -		25
If above Five Hundred Dollars and not exceeding One Thousand Dollars. - - -		50
And if above One Thousand Dollars -		75
Provided, that if any bonds or notes shall be payable at or within sixty days, such bonds or notes shall be subject to only two-fifths parts of the duty aforesaid—viz.		
If above Twenty Dollars and not exceeding One Hundred Dollars - - -		4
If above One Hundred Dollars and not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars - -		10
If above Five Hundred Dollars and not exceeding One Thousand Dollars - -		20
If above One Thousand Dollars -		30
Any notes issued by the banks now established, or		

	Dls.	Cts.
that may hereafter be eſtabliſhed within the United States, other than the notes of ſuch of the ſaid banks as ſhall agree to an annual compoſition, of one per centum on the annual dividends made by ſuch banks, to their Stockholders reſpectively, according to the following ſcale :		
On all notes not exceeding Fifty Dollars, for each dollar, 6 Mills.		0
On all notes above Fifty Dollars, and not exceeding One Hundred Dollars - -		50
On all notes above One Hundred Dollars, and not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars -	1	
On all notes above Five Hundred Dollars -	2	
Any Proteſt or other Notarial act -		25
Any Letter of Attorney, except for an invalid penſion, or to obtain or ſell Warrants for land granted by the United States as bounty for military ſervices performed in the late war -		25
Any Certificate or Debenture for drawback of cuſtoms or duties, for leſs than Five Hundred Dollars - - - -	1	
For Five Hundred Dollars and not exceeding Two Thouſand Dollars - -	2	
For more than Two Thouſand Dollars -	3	
Any Note or Bill of Lading for goods or merchandize to be exported - -		
If from one diſtrict to another diſtrict of the United States, not being in the ſame ſtate -		10
If from the United States to any foreign port or place - - - - -		25
Any Inventory or Catalogue of any furniture, goods or effects, made in any caſe required by law (except in caſes of goods and chattles diſtrained for rent or taxes, and goods taken in virtue of any legal proceſs by any officer)		50
Any Certificate of a Share in any Inſurance Company, of a ſhare in the bank of the United States, or of any ſtate or other bank,		

	Dls	Cts.
If above Twenty Dollars and not exceeding One Hundred Dollars - - - -		10
If above One Hundred Dollars - -		25
If under Twenty Dollars, at the rate of ten *cents* for one *hundred* dollars.		

II.

The duties aforesaid will be collected and received by the Supervisors, Inspectors and other Officers of Inspection, in the several Districts, Surveys and Division of the United States, and by such other persons as shall from time to time be specially appointed and employed by the Supervisors of Districts for that purpose.

III.

The Supervisors of the several Districts will, prior to the first day of July ensuing, and as soon as may be practicable. mark or stamp, without fee or reward, any quantities or parcels of Vellum Parchment or Paper, with any of the rates of duties before enumerated, on payment of the said duties; Or stamped Vellum, Parchment and Paper may at the option of the Citizens of the United States, be obtained at the rates prescribed by law, by application to any Supervisor, Inspector, Officer of Inspection, or other person appointed for the distribution of Stamps, by the Supervisors of Districts.

March 1, 1797.

COURTS OF LAW.

United States.

SUPREME COURTS ARE HELD,

AT the seat of the General Government (at present in Philadelphia) on the First Mondays in February and August, annually.

Circuit Courts are held,

In New-Jersey—at Trenton, on the second days of April and October.

In Pennſylvania—at Philadelphia, on the 11th d April; and at York-Town, on the 11th of October.

In Delaware—at New-Caſtle, on the ſecond Monday in June; and at Dover, on the 27th of October.

In Maryland—at Annapolis, on the 7th day of May; and at Eaſton, on the 7th of November.

In Virginia—at Richmond, on the 22d day of May, and November.

Diſtrict Courts are held,

In New-Jerſey—at Burlington, on the firſt Tueſdays in February and Auguſt; and at New-Brunſwick, on the firſt in May and November.

In Pennſylvania—at Philadelphia, on the third Mondays in February, May, Auguſt and November.

In Delaware—at Dover, on the fourth Tueſdays in February and Auguſt; and at New-Caſtle on the fourth in May and November.

In Maryland—at Eaſton, on the firſt Tueſdays in March and September; and at Baltimore on the firſt in June and December.

In Virginia—at Williamſburgh, on the third Tueſdays in March and September; and at Richmond, on the third in June and December.

In Kentucky—at Frankfort, on the third Tueſdays in March, June, September and December.

NOTE. *The Diſtrict Judges have power to appoint Special Courts in their reſpective Diſtricts, at diſcretion.*

PENNSYLVANIA.

Courts of Errors and Appeals are held,

At Philadelphia, on the ſecond Monday of July, annually. The Judges have power to adjourn from time to time, as occaſion may require.

Supreme Courts are held,

At Philadelphia the firſt Monday in September, ſecond in December, and third in March. In the reſt of the State as may be appointed by the Judges.

Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and Niſi Prius,

All over the State are held as occaſion may require, appointed by the Judges.

Quarter Sessions and Common Pleas are held,

COUNTIES.	MONDAYS IN			
Philadelphia,	1 March,	1 June,	3 Septem.	1 Decem.
Delaware,	last Jan.	last April,	last July,	last Oct.
Bucks,	1 Feb.	1 May,	1 August,	1 Novem.
Montgomery,	2 Feb.	2 May,	2 August,	2 Novem.
Chester,	3 Feb.	3 May,	3 August,	3 Novem.
Lancaster,	last Feb.	last May,	last Aug.	last Nov.
York,	1 March,	1 June,	1 Septem.	1 Decem.
Dauphin,	2 March,	2 June,	2 Septem.	2 Decem.
Berks,	1 Jan.	1 April,	1 August,	1 Novem.
Northampton,	2 Jan.	2 April,	2 August,	2 Novem.
Luzerne,	3 Jan.	3 April,	3 August,	3 Novem.
Northumberland,	4 Jan.	4 April,	4 August,	4 Novem.
Cumberland,	1 Jan.	1 April,	1 August,	last Oct.
Mifflin,	2 Jan.	2 April,	2 August,	1 Novem.
Huntingdon,	3 Jan.	3 April,	3 August,	2 Novem.
Bedford,	4 Jan.	4 April,	4 August,	3 Novem.

Franklin, on the last Mondays in Dec. March and July, and the Monday next preceding the last Monday in October.

Washington, last	Feb.	May,	Aug.	Nov.
Allegheny,	1 March,	1 June,	1 Septem.	1 Decem.
Westmoreland,	2 March,	2 June,	2 Septem.	2 Decem.
Somerset,	3 March,	3 June,	3 Septem.	3 Decem.
Fayette,	4 March,	4 June,	4 Septem.	4 Decem.

Greene, on the Monday next following Fayette.

The Yearly and General Meetings of the People called QUAKERS *are held,*

AT Philadelphia, the 4th Firstday in the Ninth-month; at Wilmington, the next Firstday after the Spring meeting in Philadelphia, which is held the fourth Firstday in the 3d month; at Salem, the 3d Firstday in the Fifth-month; at Wainock and Blackwater, in Virginia, alternately, the 3d Seventhday in the Fifth-month; at Westbury, on Long Island, the last Firstday in the Fifth-month; at Little Egg-harbour, the 1st Firstday, in the Sixth-month; at Newport, Rhode-Island, the 2d Sixthday in the Sixth-month; at Rh-

timore, for Maryland, the 2d Firſtday in the Tenth-month at Shrewſbury, the 4th Firſtday in the Tenth-month; at Newgarden and Symonds' Creek, North-Carolina, alternately, the 4th Sixthday in the Tenth-month.

Poſtage of Letters throughout the United States, as eſtabliſhed by Act of Congreſs.

FOR the poſtage of any ſingle letter to or from any place by land, not exceeding 30 miles, 6 cents—over 30, and not exceeding 60, 8 cents—over 60, and not exceeding 100, 10 cents—over 100, and not exceeding 150, 12½ cents—over 150, and not exceeding 200, 15 cents—over 200 and not exceeding 250, 17 cents—over 200, and not exceeding 350, 20 cents—over 350, and not exceeding 450, 22 cents—and from every place more than 450 miles, 25 cents.

Poſtage of Newſpapers, one cent for any diſtance not exceeding 100 miles, and one cent and a half for any greater diſtance.

TABLE

Of the Weight and Value of ſundry Coins.

	Standard Weight.		Britain.			Pennſyl. Jer. Del. Maryland			Federal Value.	
	dwt.	*gr.*	*£.*	*s.*	*d.*	*£.*	*s.*	*d.*	*Dol. Cent.*	*Mil.*
ENgliſh Guineas	5	6	1	1	0	1	15	0	4 66	7
French do.	5	5	1	1	0	1	14	6	4 60	0
Moidores	6	18	1	7	0	2	5	0	6 00	0
Half Johannes	9	0	1	16	0	3	0	0	8 00	0
French milled Piſtoles	4	4	0	16	0	1	7	0	3 66	7
Spaniſh ditto	4	6	0	16	6	1	8	0	3 77	3
Doubloons	16	21	3	6	0	3	12	0	14 93	3
Engl. & French Crowns	18	17	0	5	0	0	8	3	1 10	0
Spaniſh Dollars	17	7	0	4	6	0	7	6	1 00	0
Engliſh Shillings	3	18	0	1	0	0	1	8	0 22	0

A TABLE shewing the Interest of DOLLARS at six per cent. in Dollars and Cents.

Prin.	1 Mon.		3 Mon.		6 Mon.		9 Mon.		A Year	
Dols.	*Dol.*	*cts.*	*Dol.*	*cts.*	*Dol.*	*cts.*	*Dol.*	*cts.*	*Dol.*	*cts.*
1	0	0½	0	1½	0	3	0	4½	0	6
2	0	1	0	3	0	6	0	9	0	12
3	0	1½	0	4½	0	9	0	13½	0	18
4	0	2	0	6	0	12	0	18	0	24
5	0	2½	0	7½	0	15	0	22½	0	30
6	0	3	0	9	0	18	0	27	0	36
7	0	3½	0	10½	0	21	0	31½	0	42
8	0	4	0	12	0	24	0	36	0	48
9	0	4½	0	13½	0	27	0	40½	0	54
10	0	5	0	15	0	30	0	45	0	60
20	0	10	0	30	0	60	0	90	1	20
30	0	15	0	45	0	90	1	35	1	80
40	0	20	0	60	1	20	1	80	2	40
50	0	25	0	75	1	50	2	25	3	0
60	0	30	0	90	1	80	2	70	3	60
70	0	35	1	5	2	10	3	15	4	20
80	0	40	1	20	2	40	3	60	4	80
90	0	45	1	35	2	70	4	5	5	40
100	0	50	1	50	3	0	4	50	6	0
200	1	0	3	0	6	0	9	0	12	0
300	1	50	4	50	9	0	13	50	18	0
400	2	0	6	0	12	0	18	0	24	0
500	2	50	7	50	15	0	22	50	30	0
1000	5	0	15	0	30	0	45	0	60	0

Explanation.—If you want to know the interest of 50 dollars, you will find that for a month it is 25 cents; for three months, 75 cents; for a year, 3 dollars.

INFALLIBLE

Receipt for the Jaundice.

TAKE an ounce of Rheubarb, sliced very thin, and one dram of Saffron, put them in a bottle with a quart of white Wine, and after twenty-four hours infusion, take a large glass full of it, whilst it lasts.

A TABLE shewing the Value of CENTS.

Cts.	s.	d.	Cts.	s.	d.	Cts.	s.	d.	Cts.	s.	d.
1 is		1	27—	2		53—	3	11	78—	5	10
2—	0	2	28—	2		54—	4	0	79—	5	11
3—	0	3	29—	2		55—	4	1	80—	6	0
4—	0	4	30—	2		56—	4	2	81—	6	1
5—	0	5	31—			57—	4	3	82—	6	2
7—	0	6	32—	2		58—	4	4	83—	6	3
8—	0	7	33—			59—	4	5	84—	6	4
9—	0	8	34—	2		60—	4	6	85—	6	5
10—	0	9	35—	2		61—	4	7	87—	6	6
11—	0	10	37—	2		62—	4	8	88—	6	7
12—	0	11	38—	2		63—	4	9	89—	6	8
13—	1	0	39—	2	1	64—	4	10	90—	6	9
14—	1	1	40—	3		65—	4	11	91—	6	10
15—	1	2	41—	3	1	67—	5	0	92—	6	11
17—	1	3	42—	3	2	68—	5	1	93—	7	0
18—	1	4	43—	3	3	69—	5	2	94—	7	1
19—	1	5	44—	3	4	70—	5	3	95—	7	2
20—	1	6	45—	3	5	71—	5	4	97—	7	3
21—	1	7	47—	3	6	72—	5	5	98—	7	4
22—	1	8	48—	3	7	73—	5	6	99—	7	5
23—	1	9	49—	3	8	74	5	7	100—	7	6
24—	1	10	50—	3	9	75—	5	8			
25—	1	11	51—	3	10	77—	5	9			

One-sixteenth of a Dollar, or a 5½ piece,	6¼ Cents.
One-eighth of a Dollar, or an eleven-penny piece,	12½
One quarter of a Dollar,	25
One half of a Piftareen,	10
A Piftareen,	20

TABLE

Of the Value and Weights of the Federal Coins.

10 Mills	make	1 Cent
10 Cents		1 Dime
10 Dimes		1 Dollar
10 Dollars		1 Eagle.

An Eagle weighs 246 grains, and 268th part of 1000 of fine gold. Half-Eagle 123 grains, 134th part of 1000.—The Dollar weighs equally the fame as the Spanish milled ditto.

A TABLE shewing the VALUE of any Number of DOLLARS from 1 to 1000, in the Currencies of N. Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, & Maryland.

Dol.	L.	s.	d.	Dol.	L.	s.	d.	Dol.	L.	s.	d.
1 is	0	7	6	24	9	0	0	47	17	12	6
2	0	15	0	25	9	7	6	48	18	0	0
3	1	2	6	26	9	15	0	49	18	7	6
4	1	10	0	27	10	2	6	50	18	15	0
5	1	17	6	28	10	10	0	55	20	12	6
6	2	5	0	29	10	17	6	60	22	10	0
7	2	12	6	30	11	5	0	65	24	7	6
8	3	0	0	31	11	12	6	70	26	5	0
9	3	7	6	32	12	0	0	75	28	2	6
10	3	15	0	33	12	7	6	80	30	0	0
11	4	2	6	34	12	15	0	85	31	17	6
12	4	10	0	35	13	2	6	90	33	15	0
13	4	17	6	36	13	10	0	95	35	12	6
14	5	5	0	37	13	17	6	100	37	10	0
15	5	12	6	38	14	5	0	200	75	0	0
16	6	0	0	39	14	12	6	300	112	10	0
17	6	7	6	40	15	0	0	400	150	0	0
18	6	15	0	41	15	7	6	500	187	10	0
19	7	2	6	42	15	15	0	600	225	0	0
20	7	10	0	43	16	2	6	700	262	10	0
21	7	17	6	44	16	10	0	800	300	0	0
22	8	5	0	45	16	17	6	900	337	10	0
23	8	12	6	46	17	5	0	1000	375	0	0

Receipt to preserve Butter.

TO a peck of fine salt add one ounce of crude sal ammoniac, and two ounces of saltpetre, both finely powdered, and mix them intimately with fine salt: with this salt work your butter, until the butter-milk is entirely extracted, then pack it in wooden firkins, salting it with the same mixed salt, to such a degree as to be palatable when eat with bread, and no salter. The mixture is stronger than fine salt, of consequence something less is required.

AN ACT

To lay a Direct Tax within the United States.

SECTION I.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a direct Tax of Two Millions of Dollars shall be, and hereby is laid upon the United States, and apportioned to the States respectively in the following manner :——

	Dolls.	*Cts.*		*Dolls.*	*Cts.*
NewHampshire	77,705	36	Delaware	30,430	79
Massachusetts	260,435	31	Maryland	152,599	95
Rhode Island	37,502	8	Virginia	345,488	66
Connecticut	129,767	0	Kentucky	37,643	99
Vermont	46.864	18	N. Carolina	193,697	96
New York	181,680	70	Tennessee	18,806	38
New Jersey	98,387	25	S. Carolina	112,997	73
Pennsylvania	237,177	72	Georgia	38,814	87

Taxes on Houses from 100 to 500 dollars value, to pay 2-tenths of 1 *per cent.* on the amount of valuation.

From 500 to 1000 dolls. 3-tenths of 1 *per cent.*
From 1000 to 3000 do. 4 ditto ditto.
From 3000 to 6000 do. 5 ditto ditto.
From 6000 to 10,000 do. 6 ditto ditto.
From 10,000 to 15,000 do. 7 ditto ditto.
From 15,000 to 20,000 do. 8 ditto ditto.
From 20,000 to 30,000 do. 9 ditto ditto.

And all above 30,000 dolls. to pay 1 *per cent.* on the amount of the valuation.

All Slaves between the age of 12 and 50 years to pay 50 cents. After these sums are laid on Houses and Slaves, the remainder of the quota of the State to be laid on Lands in proportion to the valuation.

BY the Act of Congress passed the 9th day of July 1798, entitled "An Act to provide for the valuation of Lands and Dwelling Houses, and the enumeration of Slaves within the United States.

THE State of Pennsylvania is divided into NINE DIVISIONS, and one Commissioner appointed and commissioned by the President of the United States, in each Division.

Divi.	*Commis.*
1st The City and County of Philadelphia,	*Isaac Wheien*
2d The Counties of Chester, Delaware, and Lancaster	*Paul Zantzinger.*
3d The Couts. of Montgomery & Bucks,	*Seth Chapman.*
4th The Counties of Berks and Dauphin,	*Collinson Read.*
5th The Counties of Northampton, Wayne, and Luzerne	*Jacob Eyerly, jun.*
6th The Counties of York, Cumberland and Franklin	*Michael Schymer.*
7th The Counties of Northumberland, Lycoming and Mifflin	*Thomas Grant.*
8th The Counties of Bedford, Somerset and Huntington	*Samuel Davidson*
9th The Counties of Westmoreland, Allegheny, Washington and Fayette,	*Isaac Jenkinson*

Female Heroism Rewarded.

[*Extract from the Journals of Congress, of the 6 July*, 1779.]

"RESOLVED, that Margaret Corbin, who was wounded and disabled in the attack on Fort-Washington, whilst she heroically filled the post of her husband, who was killed by her side, serving a piece of artillery, do receive, during her natural life, or the continuance of the said disability, the one half of the monthly pay drawn by a soldier in the service of these states; and that she now receive, out of the public stores, one complete suit of clothes, or the value thereof in money."

A LIST

Of the Births and Deaths in the several Religious Societies in the City of Philadelphia, from Aug. 1, 1797 to Aug. 1, 1798.

Names of the Societies.	*Births.*		*Deaths.*		*Total birth.*	*Total deat.*
	Mal	*Fem*	*Mal*	*Fem*		
1. German Luth. Ch.	151	141	108	109	292	217
2. German Ref. Ch.	114	116	61	64	230	125
3. Episcop Church Ch's.	51	59	52	44	110	96
4. Episcop Church St. Pe's	45	72	47	51	117	98
5. Episcop Church St. Pa's	21	20	14	13	41	27
6. Society of Friends	160	148	65	73	308	138
7. Catholi Church St. My's	246	242	128	98	488	226
8. Catholi Church Holy T	28	23	6	10	51	56
9. 1st Presbyterian	28	27	27	23	55	50
10. 2d do. -	28	24	42	34	52	76
11. 3d do. -	66	57	59	52	123	111
12. Scotch Presbyt.	10	11	8	6	21	14
13. Associate Chur.	4	5	4	5	9	9
14. Soc. of Free Qua.	15	13	17	13	24	30
15. Moravians -	4	6	4	6	10	10
16. Swedish Church	26	22	39	24	48	63
17. Methodists -	30	27	19	17	57	36
18. Baptists -	31	26	23	29	59	52
19. Universalists -	0	1	3	3	1	6
20. Jewish Church	2	4	2	1	6	3
21. African Episcopa	24	29	16	17	53	33
22. African Methodis	10	13	6	7	23	13
23. Pot. F. (white)*	207	196	419	349	403	768
24. ——— colour*	85	89	76	63	174	139
Total Number,	1382	1373	1245	1111	2755	2356

About the beginning of August, 1797, the Yellow Fever made its appearance at Pine-street wharf, from whence it soon spread over the city, and continued its ravages until the middle of October, during which time there were Eleven Thousand Three Hundred deaths.

* *Births in those families buried in Potter's Fields.*

AMERICAN CHRONOLOGY;

OR,

A List of Important Æras and memorable Events relating to America, since its discovery by the Europeans. Arranged in Alphabetical order.

A.

ANDRE (Major John) Adjutant-general of the British army, hanged as a spy, at Tappan in the state of New-York, October 2, 1780.

Abercrombie (General) repulsed by the French at Ticonderoga, July 8, 1758.

B.

Boston evacuated by the British troops, March 17, 1776.

Breda—The peace of—by which the Dutch confirmed to the English the New Netherlands (now New-York, New-Jersey and Pennsylvania) concluded July 21, 1667.

Braddock (General) commanding the British and Provincial forces defeated by the French, near fort Du Quesne, June 9, 1755.

Brandywine—Battle of—September 11, 1777.

Brainard (the rev. David) a successful protestant missionary among the North American Indians of the *five nations*, died October 9, 1747.

Bethlehem (Pennsylvania) the principal settlement of the Moravians, in America—settled anno. 1741. This town contains between 500 and 600 souls.

Boon (Col. Daniel) a gentleman of North Carolina; in company with a few others, settled in Kentucky, anno. 1769—his fellow adventurers, were, in a little time, plundered, dispersed and killed, by the Indians: but the Col. continued an inhabitant of the wilderness, until the year 1771, when he returned home.

C.

Confederation, and perpetual union, between the American provinces—May 20, 1775.

Camden (S. C.) Battle of—August 16, 1780.

Canada confirmed to Great Britain, by the definitive treaty of peace between France, Spain, Great Britain, and Portugal, concluded at Paris, February 10, 1763.

Canada——The first hostilities between the French and the English are said, by the English, to have been committed there by the Count de la Galissoniere, on the part of the French, in 1749.

Congress (the general) of the North American provinces, met at Philadelphia, September 5, 1774.

Cape Breton taken by the British from the French, June 26, 1758.

Cowpens—The battle of—January 17, 1781.

Convention—The Federal—met at Philadelphia May 2, 1787.

D.

Du Quesne (now Fort Pitt)—The outlines of a fort there planned by the British, taken possession of by M. de Contrecoeur; and, when finished, so named by him——June 13, 1754.

Dieskau (Baron) defeated and taken prisoner by general (afterwards Sir William) Johnson, whom he had attacked in his camp, near lake George, September 7, 1755.

F.

Florida (East and West) confirmed to Great Britain, by the definitive treaty between France, Spain, Great Britain, and Portugal, concluded at Paris, February, 10, 1763.

Falmouth (Mass.) burnt by the British Oct. 18, 1775.

Finley (John) of North Carolina, in company with some others trading with the Indians, travelled over the region now called Kentucky, about the year 1767.—This country was then known to the Indians by the name of "The dark and bloody grounds;" and, sometimes, "The middle ground." Mr. Finley, on his return to his place of residence, communicated his discovery to Colonel Daniel Boon, and a few others.

Frontenac (Fort) taken from the French, Aug. 27, 1758.

G.

Great-Bridge (near Norfolk, Virg.)—The royalists defeated there, by the Virginians, December 9, 1775.

Germantown—Battle of, October 4, 1774.

H.

Hudſon's Bay—The French took and deſtroyed the forts and ſettlements there, Auguſt 24. 1782.

Halifax—in Nova Scotia, built in the year 1748.

Howe (lord Viſcount) ſlain at Ticonderoga, July 5, 1758.

Henlopen (Cape)—The Swedes and Fins arrived and landed at, in 1627, at which time the Dutch had wholly quitted the country.

I.

Johnſon (General, afterwards Sir William) defeated the French near Crown Point, September 8, 1755.

L.

Laurens, Eſq. (Henry)—captured by the Britiſh near Newfoundland, when on his paſſage to Holland, September 3, 1780—Committed priſoner to the Tower of London, on a charge of high treaſon, October 3. 1780.

Louiſiana, (N. A.) part of the province of—confirmed to Great Britain by the definitive treaty of peace between France, Spain, Great Britain and Portugal, concluded at Paris, February 10, 1763.

Louiſbourg, in the Iſland of Cape Breton, ſurrendered by the French to the New-England provincial forces, commanded by General Pepperell, aided by a Britiſh naval force under Commodore Warren, June 17, 1745.

Lawrence (Major) defeated by the Chevalier de la Corne and Father Loutre, near the mouth of St. John's river, Canada, April 20, 1750.

Lewes-Town (Del.)---The Dutch, who had quitted the country a few years before, returned in 1630; and built a fort there, by them called Hoeren-Kill—See Henlopen.

M.

Monongahela (Fort)—On the forks of the Monongahela river; M de Contrecoeur obliged Capt. Trent to abandon it, May 20, 1754.

N.

New-London (city of, in Connecticut) burnt by Benedict Arnold, September 6, 1781.

Norfolk (Virginia) burnt January 1, 1776.

Niagara (Fort) taken from the French by General Johnſon, July 25, 1759.

New-Hampshire—Capt. Mason procures, November 7, 1629, from the council of Plymouth, a new patent for a tract of land so called, which comprehended the whole of Wheelwright's purchase—The settlement of the seventh, and last English colony, in New-England, was made by the combination of forty-one persons, into a form of government, on Piscataqua river, October 22, 1640; afterwards called "The province of New-Hampshire."

Narraganset Sachems (the six) entered into a league, offensive and defensive, with the associate colonies of New-England, July 15, 1635.

P

Proclamation—General Gage, the British Governor of Massachusetts, issued a proclamation, offering a pardon, in the king's name, to all who should forthwith lay down their arms and return to their peaceable occupations, excepting Samuel Adams and John Hancock, June 12, 1775.

Philadelphia evacuated by the British troops, June 18, '78.

Pensacola, and the whole province of West Florida, surrendered by the British, to the arms of Spain, May 9, '80

Peace—The preliminary articles of, between France, Spain, and Great Britain, signed at Versailles, Jan. 20, '83.

Peace—The ratification of the definitive treaty of, between the United States of America, France, Spain, and Great Britain, September 3, 1783.

Peace—General Washington's proclamation, announcing in his camp the cessation of hostilities. and the ratification of the articles of peace, between the United States of America and Great Britain, April 16, '83.

Q.

Quebec—The city of, stormed, and nearly taken by the Americans, under General Montgomery, Dec. 31, '75

Quebec—Letters patent (orig. Literæ) containing a promise of Charles I. king of England, to deliver the fortress (orig. Castrum) and houses of Quebec (orig. Kebec) in Canada, to the king of France, dated June 29, 1631.

R.

Rhode-Island (i. e. the island so called, formerly Aquatneck) was, by deed dated March 24, 1657—8, purchased

from the Indians, by some of the sectaries, whose opinions had been condemned in the synod of Newtown, and who had been ill used at the subsequent general court of Massachusetts, [See synod of Newtown]. The late royal charter of "Rhode-Island and Providence plantations, in Narraganset bay in New-England, was dated July 8, 1662.

S.

Sullivan's Island (near Charleston, S. C.)—The works thereon, attacked by the British squadron, commanded by sir Peter Parker, and the assailants defeated, June 28, 1776. These works were afterwards called Fort-Moultrie, in compliment to the commanding officer.

St. John's (Canada) reduced by the Americans, November 2, 1775.

Still-Water—Battle of, October 7, 1777.

Synod (a general) in Newtown, near Boston (Mass.) called, August 30, 1637. This synod condemned the opinions of many of the New-England sectaries. See Doug. Sum. Rhode-Island.

T.

Treaty, between the republic of Holland and the United States of America, concluded, Oct. 8, 1782—see Peace.

Ticonderoga, taken by the Americans, under Allen and Arnold, May 10, 1775.

V.

Virginia—A special commission to Edward Sackville, Earl of Dorset, and others, "for the better plantation of the colony of Virginia," dated June 27, 1631.

W.

William and Mary, the castle so called at Portsmouth, in New-Hampshire, assaulted, and taken from the British, by the armed citizens of New-Hampshire, Dec. 14, 1774.

West-Florida—The province of, surrendered by the British to Spain, May 9, 1780.

Ward, Esq. (Artemas) chosen first Major-general, by Congress, June 17, 1775.

Wars, between the New-Englanders and the Indians; viz. the Pequad war, anno. 1637; King Philip's war, in 1675, and 1676, (continuing about fourteen months)—and the war of 1722 to 1725.

Roads from Philadelphia to Pittſburg.

TO the Buck	11	11
Admiral Warren	12	23
Downing's	10	33
Waggon & Whitaker's	8	41
M'Clelland's	9	50
Breſslor's	9	59
Lancaſter Courthouſe	7	66
Pedan's at big Chickeys	9	75
Elizabeth Town	9	84
Middletown	8	92
Chambers' Ferry	6	98
Silverſpring	10	108
Carliſle	10	118
Turner's	10	128
Shippenſburgh	11	139
Straſburg*	10	149
Skinner's	3	152
Burnt Cabbins	9	161
Littleton	4	165
Wild's, foot Sid. Hill	9	174
Croſſings of Juniata	10	184
Hartley's	8	192
Bedford	6	198
Bonnet's†	4	202
Ryan's, foot Alleg. M.	7	209
Stanley's	8	217
Webſter's, Stoneycreek	9	226
Well's	9	235
Fort Ligonier	12	247
Nine Mile Run	9	256
Greenſburgh	10	266
Waltour	8	274
Turtle Creek	12	286
Pittſburg	12	298
From Pittſburg to the mouth of Kentucky	515	813
Mouth of Ohio	559	1372
New Orleans	736	2108
Mouths of Miſſiſſippi	105	2213

* *From the ſouth-weſt end of Shippenſburg, the right-hand road leads to Straſburg, and the left to Chamberſburg.*

† *At Bonnet's, the Poſt-road takes to the right-hand; and that through the Glades to the left.*

Glade Road from Bedford to Waſhington.

To Bonnet's	4	4
Werts's	3	7
Metzger's	6	13
White Horſe top of Alleg	11	24
Spiker's	4	28
Black's	2	30
Beemer's	3	33
Somerſet (County town)	5	38
Schaffer's	7	45
Top of Laurel Hill	3	48
Jones's mill	7	55
Stockton's	4	59
Cherry's Mill	5	64
Nealy's	3	67
M'Kean's	5	72
Carnahan's	6	78
Budd's Ferry	2	80
Black horſe, Croſs roads	4	84
Parkiſon's Ferry	4	88
Hamilton's	4	92
Todd's	5	97
Waſhington	10	107

Croſs Poſts, from Philadelphia to Pittſburgh.

To Lancaſter	66	66	*Chamberſburg*	11	152
York	23	89	*Bedford*	58	210
Carliſle	31	120	*Greenſburg*	67	277
Shippenſburg	21	141	*Pittſburgh*	33	310

*** A Mail now goes Weekly from Pittſburgh, through Waſhington, Weſt-Liberty, and Wheelen, thence by water to Fort Waſhington.

Croſs Poſts, from Philadelphia to Carliſle.

Philadelphia to Pottsgrove	36	36	*Lebanon*	28	84
Reading	20	56	*Harrisburg*	25	109
			Carliſle	17	126

Croſs Poſts, from Philadelphia to Niagara.

Penſylva. *Philadelphia to Reading*	56	56	N. Yor. *Painted Poſt*	66	232
Northumberland	70	126	*Bath*	18	250
Lycoming	40	166	*Williamsburg*	40	290
			Niagara	80	370

Croſs Poſts, from Richmond, Virginia, to Danville, Kentucky.

To Columbia	46	46	*Montgomery Courthouſe*	55	254
Charlotteſville	40	86	*Wythe Courthouſe*	47	301
Stanton	40	126	*Abingdon*	56	357
Lexington	33	159	*Hawkins* (Ten.)	66	423
Fincaſtle	40	199	*Danville*	201	624

Poſt Road from Pittſburgh to Preſqu'iſle.

From Pittſburgh to Morriſon's	9	*To Franklin*	18
To Duncan's	9	— *Cuſſawago*	25
— *Amberſon's*	7	— *Le Bœuf*	28
— *Bowers*	3	— *Preſqu'iſle*	15
— *Slippery Rock*	15		136½
— *Reeds*	7½		

Distance from Pittsburgh to [illegible] Ohio.

From Pittsburg to Logs-Town	18	*T[illegible]*	126
Big Beaver	11	*Li[illegible]*	8
Little Beaver	13	*Great Miami*	27
Yellow creek	12	*Big Bones*	32
Two creeks	22	*Kentucky*	44
Long-reach	54	*Rapids*	77
End of Long reach	17	*Low Country*	156
Muskingum	26	*Buffalo River*	65
Little Kenhaway	12	*Wabash*	97
Hockhocking	16	*Big Cave*	43
Great Kenhaway	83	*Cumberland River*	52
Guiandot	44	*Tenessee River*	13
Sandy-creek	14	*Massac*	11
Scioto	49	*Mississippi River.*	46
			1188

Cross Posts, from Baltimore, Maryland, to Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

To Fredericktown	52	52	*Hagerstown*	14	90
Sharpsburg	24	76	*Chambersburg*	21	111

Thoughts on PROVERBS.

PROVERBS have been defined to be, the experience of ages comprised in a few words. Many a volume of wise sayings, not to mention those of Sancho Pancha, have been written. They often supply the place of extempore wit, by filling up those gaps, which otherwise would obstruct us in our colloquial routes, and he who makes use of them cannot be accused of plagiarism, since, by prescriptive right, they have long since become public property. They are commons, or open fields, into which every man in the village may lead or drive his cattle, not even his ass excepted; nay, it is affirmed, that the last mentioned animal thrives best on them, and brays their praises, till the offensive neighbourhood seems to partake of the asinine spe-

cies. [illegible] of one proverb, "*mocking is catching.*" Poets, from Pl[illegible] how forcibly is this idea expreſſed in their [illegible]! They inform us that by imitating the virtuous, we may arrive at virtue, or by following the vicious, we may reach the goal of vice.

"*Many men of many minds,*" is at once deep, elegant, and ſublime; and, were I to try my hand at making a proverb, I could not invent one equal to it; except, perhaps, "Many men of many faces."

"*A fool and his money are ſoon parted,*" ought certainly not to be underſtood according to the letter: otherwiſe almoſt every man and woman too muſt be a fool, ſince none but miſers can pretend to wiſdom. Now that which proves too much, is juſtly ſaid to prove nothing.

"*The better day, the better deed,*" is a vile aſſertion.—Shame on you, ye proverb-mongers! What! are cock-fighting, bull-baiting, horſe-raiſing, ſanctified by the Sabbath?

That "*Every dog has his day,*" is notoriouſly falſe. There are many dogs at forty as blind, in intellects, as puppies, with reſpect to eye-ſight, are, before they are 9 days old.

"*Joan is as good as my lady in the dark,*" is very intelligible, and perfectly congenial with the true ſpirit of republicaniſm, unleſs it ſhould be thought too productive of the levelling principle.

"*Every Jack has his Gill,*" has often puzzled me. I at firſt thought that it alluded to a gill of wine, or any other liquor; but on more mature reflection, I find, that every *Jack* ſhould have his *Gillian*, that is to ſay, a wife. In this ſenſe the proverb is unexceptionable.

"*Cat after kind,*" I utterly reject; and ſo ought every ſeminary of learning, ſince it ſtrikes at the very root of education. Is inſtinct to govern inſtead of precept and example?

"*Promiſes and Pye-cruſt are made to be broken,*" includes ideas ſubverſive of decency, morality, and religion, and may unhappily pervade our lives, from the baptiſmal font to the marriage-vow, and even to the hour of diſſolution.

"*Home is home, be it ever ſo homely,*" is highly reprehenſible, inaſmuch as it may check the ſpirit of enterprize, & confine us to cottages, when we might be building palaces.